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PREPARATION OF BIO-DIESEL	)	

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE FILED IN CONJUNCTION WITH RCE**

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed September 10, 2007, Applicants request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks. This response is being filed in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination, a three-month extension of time, and the requisite fees.

Amendments to the claims, including a complete listing of the claims, begins on page 2.  
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